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## Presentation Annual Results 2009: March 4, 2010

The Executive Board of Rabobank Group will present the 2009 annual results on Thursday, 4 March 2010, at a press conference in Utrecht, the Netherlands. Live online coverage of the press conference will start at 11:00 a.m. (CET) and will be broadcast through [www.rabobank.com](http://www.rabobank.com). Interviews with CEO Piet Moerland and CFO Bert Bruggink will be available around 2:00 p.m. (CET).

If you have additional questions after the presentation of the annual results, we would like to offer you the opportunity to schedule a conference call with senior management. Please [contact IR](#) for further information.

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## Rabobank: Dutch house prices stabilise in 2010

In conjunction with the cautious recovery of the Dutch economy, the Dutch housing market now also appears to be recovering from a slight decline. After a sharp fall in the number of transactions in 2009, there has been a slight increase recently and the number of transactions is expected to rise further this year. Dutch house prices are currently stabilising. Rabobank forecasts a slight increase in house prices in the second half of 2010.

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## Rabobank, N.A. agrees to acquire Napa Community Bank

Capitol Bancorp Limited (NYSE: CBC) and Rabobank, N.A. jointly announced on February 17 the planned sale of Capitol's California-based affiliate, Napa Community Bank, to Rabobank, a community based bank with more than 100 California locations, for an initial cash consideration approximating \$25 million and other contingent considerations.

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## Banking within tighter limits

The credit crisis has left deep marks in society. Governments that bailed out banks have now come to the clear realisation that they should not inflict this on 'the taxpayer' too frequently. Confidence in the stability of the financial sector has been damaged and as a result people are diligently looking for measures that can prevent a new banking crisis. Rabobank Chief Financial Officer Bert Bruggink shares his view.

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